

ative Board, and editor of the National Economist, believing that he had been unjustly assailed by the partisan press, as well as too severely criticised by some of the members of the council, sought his election to the Presidency of the Alliance. This method of indication was not approved by a majority of the council. Whereupon Bro. Malone, mistaking the action of the council as an expression of want of confidence, withdrew from the further session of the council. That he made a grave mistake many of his most ardent admirers must admit.

#### OFFICERS ELECTED.

When the council proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year every delegate from every State was present and in his seat. The election resulted as follows:

For President, H. L. Loucks, South Dakota.

Vice-President, Marion Butler, North Carolina.

Secretary-Treasurer, Bro. Taylor.

Executive Committee, Mannage, Virginia; H. C. Demming, Pennsylvania; I. E. Dean, New York; L. Leonard, Missouri, and President Loucks, chairman of committee ex-officio.

Bro. Southworth, of Colorado, as elected to fill the vacancy on the Judiciary Committee.

For the first time since the organization of the Alliance, the ten important offices are filled from ten different States, from every quarter of the Union. His is propitious, and all the more striking, as much of this was not taken into consideration when the officers were elected.

#### THE STRENGTH AND UNITY OF THE ORGANIZATION.

Notwithstanding the somewhat disturbed condition of the council, owing to the conduct of Bro. Tillman, and the strong advocacy of the claims of Bro. Faunce, yet a marked harmony was manifest on the part of the delegates during the closing hours of the session, and general satisfaction was expressed as to the exceeding good work done for the advancement of the best interests of the organization throughout the whole country.

#### AN UNPLEASANT OUTSIDE FEATURE.

One of the most unpleasant features of the occasion was the apparent studied attempt of the daily press to misrepresent and falsify the proceedings, striving to lead the public to believe that the organization was in imminent peril of dissolution by reason of the charged internal strife; whereas the delegate who placed Dr. Faunce in nomination for the presidency, the leader of the minority, in a certain sense, said near the close of the session, that this was the best deliberative body he had ever seen, and that the meetings were characterized by more good sense and sound judgment than any other body of which he had ever been a member, including the Congress of the United States. He praised the membership for the noble stand they had taken, and wished them God speed in their continued work for reform.

Every delegate goes home with fresh courage and increased determination, and we predict that the next year will show an increase of membership, and a strengthening of the organization over the whole country, but the outlook is that the New England and Middle States will make the greatest gains.

#### POLY MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

One evening was devoted to memory of the beloved and lamented late President L. L. Polk. Speeches were delivered by Dr. C. W. Macune, W. S. Morgan, Marion Butler, Mrs. Duggs, Mrs. Todd and others.

This session was public.

There were other sessions of the Alliance, at which the demands and principles of the Alliance were discussed for the benefit of the public.

M. B.

BLACK-DRAUGHT tea cures Constipation.

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#### EDITOR'S CHAIR.

\*\* One of the newspapers says in praise of Jay Gould that "he never stooped to hypocrisy." Neither does a highway robber.

\*\* You remember what we said two weeks since about the Press telegrams and the gambling in futures. A few days since the Wilmington Star had an editorial rather apologizing for gambling in cotton, and half ridiculing the necessity for the anti-option bill. Remember our prediction, and watch the papers from now on, while Congress is in session.

\*\* The campaign is over, but another is coming. Many good men of the ranks of the Republican party have lost faith in their party, before another campaign many good men who voted the Democratic ticket will be disgusted with their party.

The Star is in favor of an income tax that would require Mr. Astor, who now pays almost no tax, to pay only ten cents of that \$7.38 to support the government. If this were done, which would tax the incomes of all the millionaires accordingly, the taxes of the people who are now paying nearly all the tax could be reduced more than half.

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#### What is the Matter With Them?

The St. Louis Globe Democrat is out in fine editorial declaiming the McKinley bill the worst blunder ever committed by any party since the crime of secession. It demands that it, and all who support it, shall be relegated to the rear. Here we have a complete fulfillment of the mission of every thick and thin party newspaper. The Globe-Democrat supported the obnoxious bill and declared it the sum of perfection until after election and then tells the truth about it. Of what value to the people are such newspapers? They tell lies for their party every day in the year until the one after election. Under such conditions the press, instead of being the friend and defender of the people becomes its deadliest foe. The truth is, that all of the old party press is nothing more than a dog with a collar around its neck, that barks as it master bids it.

#### Nonconformist.

#### A New Paper.

We welcome to our table the first copy of "Our Home," a new Alliance paper published in Union county. The editor is Bro. J. Z. Green, the energetic and sterling lecturer for that county. The paper is well edited and has the right ring. I wish we had a hundred such papers in the State. The following is one of the leading editorials:

#### STAND FIRM.

"The enemies of the Alliance have sought from the beginning to cause dissensions and strife among its members. The latest scheme is to try to identify the order with some political party. The Alliance does not, has not nor never will officially endorse any political party, for in so doing it would convert itself into a party machine and hence descend from the high plane which it occupies and its usefulness as an organization would be destroyed. The mission of the Alliance is educational. There is no compulsory obligation to be taken, each member being free to go the way his conscience leads him. In the late election members of the Alliance voted with all the existing political parties, thus demonstrating that the obligation of the order does not interfere with "religious or political views" of its members. True, one of the existing political parties has endorsed the demands made by the Alliance, but it does not follow that they are the same organization. Parties give justice to those only whom they fear. Parties do not fear a class of people who are not organized. They will fear and do more for 500 men organized than they will for 1,000 unorganized. It is absolutely necessary for every class of citizens to be organized for protection, and to get justice. The Democratic party is now in power. The farmer who voted the Democratic ticket never needed an organization more than now. His party is now in a position to do something for him, and other men with the same interests. He must be in a position to force his party to do what it should. Nothing will have more influence on the Democratic administration to give the people the needed relief than for the Alliance to grow and strengthen each day. Every true Allianceman desires reform—desires justice more than he does the success of any party, and will be satisfied if it comes through any source. If

The object of government is to protect and see that there is equal justice. The Democratic party now has charge of and will run the government for a season. This party has claimed to be the great enemy of trusts, combines and monopolies, and the great friend of the poor and helpless; now will the Democratic party suppress not only this trust but all others? If the Republican party was false to the people when it granted the special privileges to monopoly that have made trusts and combines possible with the Democratic party show itself true to the people by taking away all of their special favors at once. What shall we think of the next Congress if it adjourns and leaves these trusts with the power to continue to bleed the people? Is government instituted for monopolies and office holders, or for the welfare of the people? The world asks "How long must it be endured?" If the Democratic party does not now right the great wrong it must be endured till the people can take charge of their government.

the People's party, which is pledged to every reform demanded by the Alliance, were in power, the Alliance would be just as needed then as now. The Alliance is necessary not only to purify politics and elevate parties, but also to keep them pure, and force them at all times to respect the rights and needs of the people. Already politicians in all parties fear the Alliance, and the monopolies fear the Alliance more than they do any or all parties combined. No, the Alliance is not a party machine, but it is a terror to all party machines, and to all corruptors of government.

#### The Advocates of Delay.

We observe a curious and significant concordance in the arguments of those who object to an extra session of Congress for purposes of tariff reform. Without exception, the Democratic leaders and newspapers that oppose the immediate inauguration of the work insist upon the necessity for deliberation. They submit with great solemnity and force that the revision of the tariff laws is an undertaking of prodigious moment; that it should be approached with almost prayerful caution; that the gravest consequences depend upon the intelligence, the wisdom, and the unselfish patriotism of those who have the matter in charge. They laboriously remind us that the enterprise is one which cannot be achieved in haste, and they dwell with eloquence upon the danger of crude and undigested measures.

The New-York World after commenting on the Gould method of railroad manipulation, says:

"The tendencies, however, is not to an extension or repetition of the Gould methods. He worked towards crushing roads. The modern method is to the suppression of rivalry by the absorption of the rivals, one by another. This is the era of trusts. It is seen just as clearly now as Stewart, or Gould, or the elder Vanderbilt saw it that the big fortunes must be taken out of the pockets of the people, and the modern combiners say that that pocket is big and deep enough to give a fortune to any one who will delve deep enough into it."

#### The Alliance and Party Machines.

Certain newspapers and politicians are now trying to damage the Alliance by charging that it is a party machine. This is false. The Alliance is above all parties, and is more important to the farmers and laborers of the country than any party. No party will ever give justice to any class of citizens who are not organized. This is a selfish world, and every man and every class of men must look out for themselves. Parties give justice to those only whom they fear. Parties do not fear a class of people who are not organized. They will fear and do more for 500 men organized than they will for 1,000 unorganized. It is absolutely necessary for every class of citizens to be organized for protection, and to get justice. The Democratic party is now in power. The farmer who voted the Democratic ticket never needed an organization more than now. His party is now in a position to do something for him, and other men with the same interests. He must be in a position to force his party to do what it should. Nothing will have more influence on the Democratic administration to give the people the needed relief than for the Alliance to grow and strengthen each day. Every true Allianceman desires reform—desires justice more than he does the success of any party, and will be satisfied if it comes through any source. If

will be just as complicated, the necessity for deliberation quite as imperative then as it will be next March. The delay will have lost nine or ten months and the work will have to be done after all. The attitude of the gentlemen who begin in March is remarkable from every point of view. They are asking us to contemplate a party which for ten years has been professing its anxiety to relieve the country of ruinous and galling burdens, and which, when it is at last empowered to carry out its cherished scheme, suddenly finds another heart and asks to be excused. We do not believe that Mr. Cleveland shares this faint-hearted hesitation or is open to this doubt, but there are those who undertake to speak for the party, and who express themselves as we have said. Just to what extent they represent the feeling and control the action of the Democracy will be better known next March.—Washington Post.

#### PLEA FOR BALLOT-BOX STUFFERS.

#### Urge the Pardon of Parole of the Imprisoned New Jersey Democrats.

TRENTON, N. J. Nov. 29.—The court of pardons to-day listened to a speech from Allan L. McDermott, chairman of the State Democratic committee, for the pardon of parole of thirty-five ballot-box stuffers now serving time in the State prison. He said they were nearly all prominent men and had suffered enough. Only two of them had ever been arrested before, and many would not have gone to prison at all had they availed themselves of their right of appeal.

Mr. McDermott thought a precedent had been established by the punishment of these men, which would act as a deterrent from the crime of ballot-box stuffing in the future. He asked the court to regard the petitions filed in behalf of the men. They bore the names of hundreds of the best citizens of Hudson county. Among the names were those of several clergymen, lawyers, and physicians. All the leading Democrats of the county, including ex-Sheriff Davis and Dennis McKughlin, were among the signers.

The court said a decision would be rendered on December 15 next. Before rising the court pardoned fifteen other prisoners, who were serving terms for various offenses, and paroled seven more.

#### "Farmers' Legislature."

The last Legislature, which has been contemptuously termed in some quarters the "Farmer's Legislature," passed an act appropriating twenty-five thousand dollars for the State's exhibit at the World's Fair and directing it to be borrowed from the direct tax money which had been refunded to those who paid it through the State. This was done at the solicitation of men who knew what they were doing. Sometime after the Legislature adjourned Governor Holt decided that the appropriation was not available because the Legislature had no right to dispose of the direct tax fund in any way except to pay it to the individuals from whom it had been originally collected by the Federal government.

Now it is announced that at a conference in Raleigh last week it was decided that the appropriation is available.

If the appropriation is available now it was available when first appropriated. If it was not available then it is not available now. Why then this change of opinion? Was the first decision made in order to bring reproach on the "Farmers' Legislature?"

We do not know. The conference ought to make public the reasons for a change after the election, of opinion which existed sometime before election.—Roanoke News.

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McElree's WINE OF CARDU for female diseases.

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### EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

GET your neighbor started in  
right now to reading THE CAU-  
CASICAN and you won't have to  
watch him when he votes. It is  
the yearly readers who stick.

A writer from Alabama says:  
"The People's party in this  
State have fought a good fight  
and have kept the faith—but  
the Democrats counted the  
votes."

WHO says the campaign is  
over? It is just begun. It will  
never be over until the wrong  
is righted—until the scales of  
justice are balanced—until the  
laborer and producer have their  
quota of honest legislation.

SECTIONAL warfare is played  
out in Kansas. Col. W. A.  
Harris was elected to Congress  
at large, on the Populist ticket,  
by a majority of 4,000. Col.  
Harris is not only an Ex-Con-  
federate soldier, but left a por-  
tion of his anatomy on a South-  
ern battle-field.

REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN, or "Pri-  
vate John Allen, of Mississippi,"  
as his friends call him, enjoys the  
reputation of being the wittiest  
man in Congress, and his summary  
of Mr. Harrison's message—"The  
message sounds like a motion for a  
new trial, but I do not think the  
country is going to grant it," has  
detracted nothing from his reputa-  
tion.

JAY GOULD's income is 13 cts.  
a second, and \$4,000,000 a year.  
W. W. Astor's is 29 cents a sec-  
ond and \$9,135,000 a year.—  
Great West.

[Should not the present Dem-  
ocratic Congress put a little tax  
at least on these great incomes,  
so that some of the taxes could  
be taken off the poor people?  
—Ed.]

A few days ago the State Chronic-  
icle issued an order to the farmers  
to demand the resignation of Pres-  
ident Butler, charging that he had  
gone into partisan politics. This  
braveness of silly ignorance has  
been endorsed by many of the par-  
tisan press. It is no doubt humili-  
ating to them (if they are capable  
of knowing what humiliation is),  
that up to date no Alliance has  
obeyed their orders. We extend to  
them our sympathy, and if they  
will not accept that then they can-  
not escape our pity—Poor fellows!

It is a fact that reforms never  
begin in that stratum of society  
known as the "upper classes," meaning of course by that term the wealthy and  
ease-loving caste of society. The great upheavals and re-  
modelings of governments, tending toward the betterment  
of humanity have always emanated from the wage-earner and bread-winner. And through this class must come the success of our great movement by thorough education and agitation.

GOVERNMENT MULE CHEEK.

We have abundant illustrations this year of the value of one vote. The People's party was defeated in Duplin county by one vote. A change of five votes would have elected the Legislative ticket in Sampson. We lost a large number of counties by less than one hundred votes.

The States of Ohio, California and North Dakota are now hanging in the balance of uncertainty with less than one hundred votes to turn the scale for the three large States. One vote for one member of the Kansas Legislature changed the complexion of that body and will elect a United States Senator.

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### ANDREW JOHNSON DEMOCRACY.

Shall the currency of the  
country be legal tender issued  
and its volume controlled by  
the government, or shall it be  
non-legal tender issued and  
controlled by banking corpora-  
tions?

### BANNER DEMOCRATIC COUNTY.

It is Halifax county, which we  
understand has a registered ne-  
gro majority of 1600 votes, yet  
this year, (according to the  
count) a Democratic majority of  
2,100. Edgecombe county shows  
up just which party is suffering  
from "negro domination" now? There is something rotten in  
Denmark.

### THE POPULAR VOTE.

Thus far we are enabled to give the  
Weaver vote in the following States.  
More will be added as they are an-  
nounced:

Alabama,	85,128
California,	21,201
Georgia,	41,731
Illinois,	24,590
Indiana,	22,378
Kentucky,	23,503
Nebraska,	83,780
Minnesota,	29,596
Missouri,	41,183
Mississippi,	10,250
Ohio,	11,852
Pennsylvania,	8,714
Rhode Island,	227
North Carolina,	44,000
Total,	407,132

### A WARNING TO THE POWERS THAT BE.

"Let those who rob by law  
and oppress their fellows to  
gratify their thirst for power  
beware how they trifle with an  
awakened people. The violent  
political storms in 1888 and '92  
which first swept the Demo-  
cratic and then the Republican  
party from power in spite of  
the weight of patronage which  
they carried, signify a turbulent  
condition of the political  
atmosphere which plainly fore-  
shadows an approaching crisis.  
It were better that it be not  
hastened by the enactment of  
measures which savor of usur-  
pation and the extension of  
class privileges."

### CALIFORNIA AND NEBRASKA

Are in the hands of the Pop-  
ulist. The Republicans have a  
majority, but the Populists are  
the balance of power, and can  
make or unmake the candidate  
for Senator from either side.  
If we can get a moderately fair  
man from these, it will make  
seven or eight reformers in the  
Senate.

Nebraska consists of four-  
eighths Populists, and one-  
eighths Democrats. There the  
Republican Senator is doomed.  
A Populist will go. That will  
make eight Senators with at  
least Populist sympathies, if  
everything moves as expected.  
We are sure of six, anyway—a  
balance of power.

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the House of Representatives.  
A new election was necessary,  
and there was practical confu-  
sion between the People's party  
and the Democrats, and their  
candidate was elected. The  
Speaker of the House was  
elected by this one vote, and he  
was a fusionist. The People's  
party and Democrats allied on  
all political questions, and by  
this means Kyle was elected  
to the Senate.

Let every reformer remem-  
ber this at the next election.

### THE INDUSTRIAL LEGION.

It is doubtful if anything  
has been presented that will  
meet a more hearty response  
and go forward with a more  
vigorous organization than will  
this one. Its objects are plain,  
lofty, ready of comprehension,  
practicable, necessary, abso-  
lutely unassailable, and at once  
appeal to the better judgment  
of every friend, be he ever so  
lukewarm.

The personnel of its head  
officers is the most fitting guar-  
antee of efficient organization.  
Paul Vandervoort, the greatest  
recruiting officer in the history  
of the Grand Army, is com-  
mander in charge, and in a  
short time he will be heard from  
in the form of an address  
bearing upon the question in  
point. Enough is known that  
our friends can well afford to  
buckle on their belongings for  
a continuation of the fight in a  
more orderly, systematic man-  
ner than in the past. It means  
system. It means practical  
politics and education in pol-  
itical work; in short, instead of  
a disorderly attack, it means  
an orderly advance upon the  
enemy's center that will in-  
spire confidence in our ranks  
and make the campaign a con-  
tinuous one instead of spas-  
modic just before elections.  
There is a work for everyone  
to do, and you will shortly  
be given an opportunity.—  
Nonconformist.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

For nearly two years we have  
been engaged in the publica-  
tion of the Farmers' Advocate, and  
while we leave the pursuit  
of journalism as our profession  
in life, yet at this time there is  
a consideration greater to us  
than any temporary gain.  
During the past six months the  
editor of this paper has been a  
constant sufferer with eye trouble,  
and fearing serious conse-  
quences in the constant and  
continued work (which is an  
intense strain to the eye) we are  
constrained to abandon our  
work, to which we have de-  
voted our earnest efforts in the  
past.

With the writer health is the  
paramount consideration, and  
a continuation of the confining  
work will only tend to impair  
our health. Moved only by  
this consideration, we are con-  
strained to suspend the publica-  
tion of the Farmers' Advo-  
cate.

Our subscription list will be  
continued by the Clinton CAU-  
CASICAN, which will contain a  
letter with Tarboro news each  
week, if possible.

Our material has been pur-  
chased by the CAUCASICAN.

JAS. B. LLOYD,  
Editor.

In last week's Advocate.

[We send THE CAUCASICAN  
this week to the subscribers of  
The Advocate. We trust each  
one will send us a new sub-  
scriber. THE CAUCASICAN is in  
the fight, will attack every  
wrong, and expose every en-  
emy boldly and fearlessly. The  
truth shall be told, and the  
light shall be turned on.—ED.  
CAUCASICAN.]

### NEARLY CONVERTED.

Our readers will remember  
how the News and Observer,  
and other papers of that kind,  
fought the Railroad Commis-  
sion, the provision to tax the  
railroads just like any other  
citizen, and other reform meas-  
ures before the last Legisla-  
ture. Those editors tried to  
ridicule the editor of this pa-  
per and other members of the  
Legislature who advocated  
these just measures. We suc-  
ceeded, and the result of our  
work has proven a blessing to  
our State. Now hear the News  
and Observer praising what it  
bitterly fought then. The fol-  
lowing editorial appears in last  
Thursday's paper:

### AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Supreme Court of the  
United States has affirmed the  
decision of the Supreme Court  
of North Carolina in the case  
of the Wilmington & Weldon  
Railroad Company plaintiff in  
error, against B. L. Allsbrook,  
Sheriff, etc.

The Supreme Court of North  
Carolina decided in this case  
that the Wilmington & Weldon  
Railroad did not come  
within the exemption claimed  
by the company for its main  
line under the charter granted  
fifty years ago, but that these  
new lines were subject to tax-  
ation like all other property in  
the State. The Railroad  
Company appealed from that  
decision, and now the Supreme  
Court of the United States has  
sustained our State court, and  
holds that the branch lines  
must pay taxes like the prop-  
erty of citizens.

Chief Justice Fuller deliv-  
ered the opinion of the Su-  
preme Court in the case.

Now that this decision is  
made, and that question is set  
at rest forever, the company  
and the Legislature know more  
certainly the ground they each  
occupy, and we hope that some  
amicable arrangement may be  
made by which the railroad  
company will relinquish its le-  
gal right to exemption as to its  
main line, so that no property  
in the State will escape the bur-  
den which all other has to  
bear.

At the time the company was  
incorporated it was well enough  
to offer that inducement for its  
construction; but since then it  
has grown to be a very wealthy  
corporation, and has made  
great profits, and has a vast  
business. It can now afford to  
pay taxes to sustain the State  
government, and it is only  
equitable and just that it should  
relinquish this peculiar privi-  
lege it enjoys."

The News and Observer now  
comes up and agrees with us  
that even the main line of the  
Wilmington & Weldon Rail-  
road should pay taxes. And if  
the next Legislature does its  
duty that road will pay full  
taxes. We congratulate the  
News and Observer upon get-  
ting its eyes open, even if it  
was driven.

### Butler on Polk.

#### Progressive Farmer.

We clip the following from the  
report of the Avalanche Appeal of  
the Polk Memorial meeting at  
Memphis:

"At the conclusion of his address  
Marion Butler, of North Carolina,  
one of the best orators of the Alli-  
ance, was introduced and spoke as  
follows:

I do not wish to address myself  
to those who knew our dead lead-  
er, but rather those who did not.  
Their ideas of him are doubtless as  
far from correct as my first ideas  
of him were. They were formed  
when I was a boy ten years old. I  
was present when he was being  
disseminated by some prominent politi-  
cians and legal lights. They said  
he was a dangerous man, one to be  
feared above all others. I thought  
if these men, who are my ideals of  
courage and wisdom, fear him,  
what a terrible man he must be.  
The impression vanished when I

met Col. Polk. I studied the man  
all the harder for having once  
feared him, and found him to be a  
man who never spoke an unkind  
word against any one, who had  
given his life to protect the inter-  
ests of the downtrodden. I found  
him to be devout christian and a  
grand humanitarian. When I learned  
this of him I asked myself why  
he was feared. It was because he  
was the people's friend; it was be-  
cause he stood on the watchtower  
of the people's rights and gave  
warning when they were infringed  
upon. I found that he was respec-  
ted by all but those who, from  
corrupt practice, had reason to fear  
him. If Providence ever moulded  
a man for special purpose, L. L.  
Polk was that man. His mission  
was to break down Mason and Dix-  
on's line. Let me say to you patri-  
ots that you owe a debt of grati-  
tude that will be hard to pay. Pay  
it by action and not by words. Our  
mission now is to break down the  
line between town and country, and  
then the way will be open for re-  
form and for good government."

### Hands at county farm,

"James Simmons, clothing, 5 00

"Thomas Killett, work at court  
house square, 8 92

"W. H. Staub, work on court  
house, 3 73

"Sam. Vann, work on county  
farm, 5 85

"W. R. King & Co., for jail, 1 49

"" " " keeping jail 29 60

"D. M. Patrick, for county farm 44 66

"D. M. Patrick, rations for pa-  
pers, 4 50

"E. Peterson, for keeping U. S.  
prisoners, 55 00

"J. M. Spell, for summoning  
jurors and serving notices  
on judges of elections &c. 38 76

"H. Allen, fees, 16 00

"Junius Lewis, conveying pris-  
oners to jail, 3 00

"E. Peterson, calling court,  
Oct. term, 8 00

"J. M. Spell, money paid to  
hands at court house and  
jail 16 90

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Mrs. Mary E. Peterson & Co.,  
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S.S.S.

CURES SCROFULA

Mrs. E. J. Rowell, Medford, Mass., says her  
mother has been cured of Scrofula by the use  
of four bottles of S.S.S. after having had  
such other treat.

Some enemy has circulated the  
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CLINTON, N. C., DEC. 15, 1892.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Rice at T. M. F's.

Seed Rye at B. F. Powells.

Buy your goods of B. F. Pow-  
ell.

175 sacks salt at 65 cents per  
ack at C. P. Johnsons.

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O. F. HERRING,  
Register of Deeds.

That sheet called the Democrat  
has been on such a low plane of  
journalism that it has deserved the  
pity rather than the contempt of  
the people. We still hope that it  
will yet be able to get on a decent  
plane of journalism.

A merchant of Clinton after  
reading last issue of THE CAUCASIAN  
said, (so we are informed), "Mr.  
Butler is trying to force the mer-  
chants to advertise in his paper."

You are sadly mistaken. If it  
will not pay you to advertise in  
THE CAUCASIAN then we do not  
want your advertisement. When a  
merchant wishes to advertise, it is  
necessary for him to get his adver-  
tisement before the people. If THE  
CAUCASIAN cannot put your adver-  
tisement before double, three times  
the number of your customers that  
any other paper can. Now the ques-  
tion is, do you wish the trade of  
the people who would see your ad-  
vertisement if it were in THE CAU-  
CASIAN? You can settle this ques-  
tion for yourselves on simply busi-  
ness principles.

The Most Pleasant Way

Of preventing the grippe, colds, headaches and fevers is to use the liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs, whenever the system needs a gentle, yet effective cleansing. To be benefited one must get the true remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail, for 50c. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

Do you know where to find  
T. M. Ferrell? Go to his old  
stand at the corner of Railroad  
and Elm streets, it will pay you  
for your trouble.

It will pay you to attend the  
big closing out sale at M. Han-  
stine's, which begins to-day and  
continues til Jan. 1st. The goods  
must be sold regardless of price.  
Call and be benefited.

If you wish anything in the dry  
goods line at a very low figure or a  
shoe of any kind or hat at prices  
lower than ever known. Don't for-  
get me. Look out next week for  
Christmas advertisement.

W. S. PARTICK.

Selling Out.

M. Hanstine is selling out his  
entire stock at prices that  
will astonish you. All goods  
must be sold by Jan. 1st. Call  
early and secure choice goods  
at Rock bottom prices.

LOCAL.

Send us your subscription this  
week, we want to buy a press by  
the first of January.

Every subscriber can get us an-  
other one. Who will be the first to  
send a new name this week?

Remember that the paper is now  
cash in advance, we are forced to do  
this. You know that we are not  
able to send a single paper on  
time.

With the next issue of THE CAU-  
CASIAN we will start with the town-  
ship news again, under the head,  
"All Through Sampson." Send in  
the items from your township.

We want to thank our sub-  
scribers who have responded so prompt-  
ly to our call of last week. We  
are anxious to buy a new press.  
Don't delay sending in your sub-  
scription. Let every subscriber be  
square on the books before Janu-  
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It will give One Hundred Dollars  
for any case of Deafness (caused by  
catarrh) that cannot be cured by  
Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circu-  
lars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO.,  
Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

LADIES  
Needing a tonic, or children who want build-  
ing up, should take  
BROWN ROSE FLOWERS.  
It is pleasant; cures, Malaria, Indigestion,  
Biliousness, Liver Complaints and Neuralgia.

SELF-RESTRAINT.

Keep your troubles to yourself;  
Put them on an upper shelf;  
Far away as it may be,  
Where no eye but God's can see.

Daily brooding o'er your grief  
In no way affords relief,  
But intensifies the smart,  
Turns the arrow in the heart.

Think of others who have known  
Greater sorrows than your own,  
Keeping all their wounds concealed,  
Heroes on life's battle-field!

Give of treasures you possess,  
Loving care and tenderness,  
Cheerful smiles or sordid pelf,  
But keep your troubles to yourself.

—Selected.

An Old Story.

Once upon a time the four-  
footed creatures and the fowls  
of the air were very much wor-  
ried on account of the bad gov-  
ernment they were compelled to  
submit to. They were ruled by  
the Mink, the Mole and the Slim  
Black Snake. For many years they were in great trouble. They made frequent attempts to  
overthrow the government of the  
Mink, the Mole and the Slim  
Black Snake, but they never  
quite succeeded. The reason of  
it was that the creatures having  
hoofs and horns would invariably support the rule of the Mink,  
the Mole and the Slim Black Snake.

Thus matters went from bad  
to worse, until finally the rulers,  
seeing how fat and prosperous  
the creatures with hoofs and horns had become, concluded to estab-  
lish a tannery and a tallow fac-  
tory.

EXTRACTS FROM TOM DIXON'S SERMONS.

GREAT DAILY NEWSPAPERS.

Col. John A. Cockerill, President of the New York Press club, has recently given a most terrific arraignment of the successful sensational newspapers of the day. Col. Cockerill, as a veteran journalist and metropolitan editor, speaks on this subject with supreme authority. His message is a confession as well as arraignment. His article is a genuine contribution to the cause of humanity. Well does he say:

"It might be truthfully declared, having due regard for the most successful of our journals, that 'news' is any heretofore unprinted occurrence which involves the violation of any one of the ten commandments. 'The Daily Crimes' would be the best name for almost any sensational newspaper of to-day. The constant effort made to secure by telegraph, by special correspondence or by indefatigable reporters at any cost, and to present in the most meretricious form and at any sacrifice, occurrences which will catch the curious eye and hold the morbid fancy has found its best reward unquestionably in the accumulation of newspaper millions and the erection of newspaper buildings. 'Give the people what they want, and that, too, the very worst of it,' is their principle of management."

These are fearful assertions, but no man has dared to dispute their truth.

A BULWARK OF HELL.

The reflex influences of such a journalism upon the life of a community are terrible.

Such sheets are the hotbeds in which is bred the prolific generation of criminals whose shadow begins to cover the whole civilization of our century. It is not only the manufacturer of evil passions, lust and crime; it is the mightiest bulwark of hell, behind which vice and crime entrench themselves to-day.

MODERN JOURNALISM.

I hold in my hand an editorial from a certain newspaper in New York—issued last Friday—in which Dr. Parkhurst is cursed and vilified for not doing the identical thing he was cursed for doing six months ago. Why? Simply because the sneak of a blackguard journal in the city—the supreme expressions of the powers of hell incarnated in your daily life—has sworn that any man, be he black or white, young or old, great or small, who dares to really and seriously in earnest stand up in this city and face evil—that against his head and heart and life, all the thunderbolts of lying villainy shall be hurled, and that without mercy.

CONTINENTAL LYING.

The capacity of these newspapers to lie is to me a growing miracle. The limitation to their lying is never moral; it is purely rhetorical. It is simply a question of the capacity of language to convey falsehood. Their method of lying is colossal. In many instances it is continental. They have little slander mills syndicates that furnish their hashed villainy to papers out of town, and sell it for news.

When I was arrested last June by Koch, a certain newspaper in New York described the arrest in three-quarters of a column. Every single statement in that description (except the headlines, which announced the fact of an arrest) was a lie out of the whole cloth, and the reporter was not even present on the alleged occasion, described with the utmost minuteness.

This same newspaper during last summer published a statement and description of an alleged row in this church, every word of which was a lie, without a single fact on which to hang it. For the past two years these blackguard sheets have singled me out as a special mark for slander, vilification, ridicule and abuse.

THE POWER TO BULLY.

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the evils on which they flourish is amazing. The minute a man stands up in this community and seriously begins the work of trying to save our young men from hell and the life of our city from debauchery, from that instant he is a marked man by the press. They hound him; they pursue him; they lie about him; they ridicule, caricature, slander and vilify with all the cunning ferocity of the wolf and the daring insolence of the devil. Timid good people are thus silenced—men who love their fellow-men—who long to help them flee in terror before this fleshly power that threatens with hate and scorn and lives to blacken character and blast home and happiness.

COMSTOCK, GERRY AND PARKHURST.

Anthony Comstock is one of God's noblemen. He is a man among men. He is a hero, philanthropist, a pioneer and prophet of nobler life and civilization. Yet he walks the earth amid the snarls and hisses of curs and snakes, for which we have to thank a blackguard press that speaks his name only to curse. His whole life is a living sacrifice to the cause of humanity, and yet he is hated by thousands of good men whose minds have been poisoned by the slanders of blackguard journals.

Commodore Gerry is a man who gives his life in unselfish devotion to the cause of humanity in protecting weak and defenseless children from brutes. Yet in a certain class of newspapers Mr. Gerry's name is never mentioned save with a curse. So intense is the hatred manufactured in the minds of the ignorant by these blackguards that the agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to children are frequently threatened with mob violence in the streets of New York.

Dr. Parkhurst is one of the great preachers of the age. He is a man of the highest attainments, of spotless character, of purest motive. To his intrinsic greatness of character he adds modesty and humility. No man who ever lived could be further removed in temperament and habit from the seeking of notoriety. And yet he has been cursed and lied about and slandered by a certain blackguard newspaper in New York until thousands of people have been led to impugn his motives and believe him a bad man.

A DUTY.

The President of the North Carolina Alliance was one of the electors-at-large of the Third party. A fundamental principle of the Alliance is that it is non-partisan. It was organized upon this idea and many good men joined it because they believed it to be purely and simply an agricultural organization. These men can no longer afford to be silent when a noted political intriguer like Marion Butler is committing the Alliance not only to politics, but making it a part of a secret political society. It is a continental. They have little slander mills syndicates that furnish their hashed villainy to papers out of town, and sell it for news.

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with its little stock in trade, and seems determined to batter the remainder of its brains out against him as President of the State Alliance. At the above rate, it will not be long about it: for, in order to make sure work of it and to reach its brains by the nearest route, the Chronicle has assumed the attitude of a billy goat, and is making butting motions at him backwards, and blindfolded at that.

If the Chronicle was as wise and well posted and had as much confidence in the intelligence of the people, as it is ready, voluntarily, to attend to other people's business, it would blush at its own ignorance in Alliance matters, and would not have disgraced its mission by giving the above utterances. It is the height of impudence, for the Chronicle, at this late date, to try to palm off a deception on an intelligent people by pretending to be the friend and guardian and god-father of the Alliance, whose mission in the world is to keep agriculturists from dabbling in partisan politics, further than voting as the Democratic bosses tell them, and paying eighty per cent. of the taxes. The Chronicle has become a blind partisan, political crank; and the only appropriate thing it can say is, "where am I at any how?"

The Alliance non-partisan indeed! This chestnut is so stale, it stinketh. The Grange, Odd Fellows, Masonry and even the churches are non-partisan organizations. None but a fool would say their members, or even their officers could not act with a political partisan party, save those designated by the numbers, first, second or fourth. The Chronicle would have us believe that an officer in the Alliance can't take a public part in politics except inside of the Democratic or Republican parties, parties nationally, that are opposed to every demand of the Alliance. It certainly does not know the meaning of non-partisan, or hasn't sense enough to discriminate between practices.

Now let us see about this. The Alliance is composed of private members, officers and committees. The officers, even the President, are subject to the Executive and Judiciary committees. Every member of the Alliance, from the most humble to the highest officer takes the same pledge, and is governed by the same constitution. Its motto is "equal rights to all and special privileges to none." It is wrong for its President to dabble in politics, then it is wrong for any of the officers. If it is unconstitutional for the officers of the Alliance to take part in partisan politics, then its unconstitutional for any of its members to do so too. If the members of the Alliance are debarred discussing partisan politics, as other citizens, then they are debarred the right to vote as other citizens. If it is wrong for Alliance men to act with one political party, it is wrong for any of the officers.

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